

## Republic of the Philippines QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

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ORDINANCE NO. SP- 2752 \_, S-2018

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE PROCEDURE IN CASES OF VIOLATION OF CITY ORDINANCES IMPOSING FINES, PENALTIES AND COMMUNITY SERVICES.

Introduced by Councilors RANULFO Z. LUDOVICA and GODOFREDO T. LIBAN II.

WHEREAS, the 1987 Philippine Constitution provides that the maintenance of peace and order, the protection of life, liberty, and property, and promotion of the general welfare are essential for the enjoyment by all the people of the blessings of democracy;

WHEREAS, the City Council has enacted various ordinances such as Prohibiting the Drinking of Liquor in Public Places, Half Naked in Public Places, Minor Violating Curfew Hours and Smoking Ban, among others, which provide fines and penalties in violation thereof;

WHEREAS, our enforcement units such as the Barangay Public Safety Officers (BPSO), Department of Public Order and Safety (DPOS), Environmental Protection Officers, and the Quezon City Police District (QCPD) are strongly enforcing the aforesaid ordinances by apprehending the perpetrators and detaining them in our available custodial facilities together with other detainees who have offenses under the Revised Penal Code and other Special Penal Laws;

WHEREAS, herein below is the current status of our custodial facilities and detainees provided by the QCPD that would show that the capacity of our existing custodial facilities is not enough for the actual number of detainees which resulted to inhumane condition of these people:

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